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Would you like to know the secrets Would you like to know the secrets
Of your neighbor's house and life?
How he lives or how he doesn't,
And just how he treats his wife?
How he spends his time of leisure,
Whether soriowful or gay,
And where he goes for pleasure,
To the concert or the play?
If you wish it, I will tell you—
Let me whisper to you sly—
If your neighbor is but civil,
It is not your business why

In short, instead of prying Into other folks affairs, If you do your own but justice, You will have no time for theirs Be attentive to such matters
As concerns yourself alone, And whatever fortune flatters,

Let your business be your own
One word by way of finis—
Let me whisper to you sly—
If you wish to be respected
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TEACHING GRAMMAR.

Cincinnati pedagogues appear to have united in an attack upon the study of spleen. united in an attack upon the study of grammar by definition and rule. The young idea is cramped, not cultivated, by having to memorize page after page of what seems to the learner utterly unmeaning rules about case, tense, and mood, syntax and prosedy. The thing learned by a child studying grammar learned by a child learned by a child studying grammar does him little good, and the time wasted might have been used to good purpose in some other way. The Cincinnati teachers, at a recent meeting, compared a number of compositions, some of them written by scholars who had been carefully drilled in technical grammar, and some by scholars who had The Cheapest, Purest and Best Furnily learned grammar only by reading and Medicine in the World learned grammar only by reading and copying masterpieces of English literature. The former were as incorrect, technically, as the latter, and the latter were written in a better style than the former. This tends to show what many other teachers have claimed, that the only sensible way to teach grammar is to make pupils familiar with the choice language of great authors They then imbite a good style, unconsoiously, and write well, because the phraseology of Thackeray and Hawthorne is fresh MRS. HERMINA WICHMANN in their minds, not because they know that a nominative is the subject of a verb, or that the conditional subjunctive A graduate of the St Louis School of Mid-wifery, is now located in Decatur, and wil attend to all calls for her services, either night or day. is the proper form of a verb to express doubt. Many will wish Cincinnati in-

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Decatur, March 18, 1876.

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is five millions of dollars, of which the stood up to be knocked down. exection of buildings. The plan pro posed by the board of finance is to issue the disposal of the buildings, etc., will We learn that a canvass of the state of

It is hardly necessary to enlarge upon the objects of this great family jubilee. The people of Illinois are no less remarkable for their intelligence than so, perhaps it was Miss Plumb who they are for their patriotism and enterprise, and any words of explanation concerning this proposed method of celebrating the close of the first century | shake it to pieces before the teacher had | viding for extra pay. of our national existence would be en tirely superfluous. Every Illinoisan knows all about it, and every one will take an honest pride in making it a things to her. She laughed at them.

MR. BENJAMIN HOBART, of Abingdon, Massachusetts, claims the honor of fore she was seven. But it was the in the State. Ho is now ninety-four generally went down on turnip, which years of ago, and tortured the bird of "u-p." It was sad to see this bright liberty in his native town seventy years young intellect successfully tackle and ago. Mr. Hobart ought to live long enough to make a speech on the one hundreth anniversary of American Independence, and then he could die in is not by falling over high precipices, peace. Mr. John E. Early, of Cambridge, is also another old timer. He quicksands that we are lost. delivered an oration on July 4th, 1822,

fore it a bill which provides that jurors spelled down the school. He is slow on unusually protracted trials, shall be when the affair is over, he buttons his ral Mulaney, commanding the North entitled to and receive extra compensa tion. This law of course, is calculated trudges off alone to his home which is ish man-of-war, lying off Savannah, has to cover the jury in the Brooklyn scandal care. The bill ought to pass, for dal care. The bill ought to pass, for hear of that boy by and by. Then the curred on any of the United States tallow candles which have burned away steamers as yet. United States steamto be well paid, it is the jurymen who considerably and melted away a good ers Plymouth, Ossippi and Shawmut, and are compelled month after month to deal, are blown out, the house is shut chored off Key West, have been ordered wade through the slush of the Brook- up, the spavined horse is again brought lyn scandal mill.

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THE SPELLING SCHOOL.

[From the Inter-Ocean.]

When this article shall see the light the great contest will have ended. The spelling school will be out. Farwell Hall will be silent. Judge Booth will have returned to his solemn duties on the bench. Robert Collyer will be cogitating on to morrow's sermon. Chesbrough will be trying to circumvent the Chicago river. Coolbaugh will be studyof which John B. Drake is Director ing loans and discounts; in short, all of for Illinois, and Gon. H. S. Lansing those eminent and respectable gentle-General Agent, have issued a circular who last night grappled, and wrestled, and struggled with head-the proposed with head-the proposed with headthe proposed exposition, and calling one after another laid out like cornupon the people of Illinois for subscrip. stalks prestrated before a high wind, The amount of capital stock required and as if they had never in their lives

citizens of Philadelphia have subscribed two millions. The remainder will have to be provided for at once by the states outside of Pennsylvania, which state has already and the state has already at the state of the s which state has already appropriated a didn't go to Farwell Hall in a sleig million of dollars to be used in the filled with boys and girls and buffalo robes. But they used to go to spelling schools in hat way. They can almost see the spavined horse on the off side stock shares, of the value of ten dollars who was very lame when they started each, and the assertion is made that but who limbered up as he travaled, the receipts from the sale of admission until he amb'ed along as cheerfully as tickets, and the proceeds arising from a four year old colt. The wind whistled through his scanty tail like a breeze through an Æolian harp, but the belis aggregate a sum sufficient to reimburse drowned the melancholy refrain, and the stockholders. This assertion does the laughter of that jolly crowd half not seem to be in the least degree be drowned the bells. The parties "chose yond the bounds of reasonable expectation, and the board appears justified in clear table and claiming that subscriptions to the stock should therefore be looked upon as an investment rather than a donation dient clapboards had been worn into a bin deep worn into a bin d Illinois will be made immediately by we are about it?) another? Did you persons duly authorized, and it is to not take your place behind the short the hoped that the people of this great desk, at the head of the room, usually state, whose unexampled prosperity is occupied by the teacher, and proceed to the direct outgrowth of that mighty was it at such a time? Did you choose event which the contennial exposition Miss Williams to sit next you, though spond liberally to the call made.

It is hardly necessary to enlarge upon Or did you both pursue the sensible way, and choose your assistants on ac count of their ability, not beauty? If took a seat next you. Ah, Miss Plumb!

fairly dropped the last syllable from his lips Chronometer, hieroglyphics, each unnation, and all those four and five syllabled monstrosities were mere play-She had a natural talent for hard words, and tossed meomprehensibility contemptuously over her shoulder be being the oldest Fourth of July orator | small words that vanquished her. She conquer Kosciusko and kaleidoscope, and then go down on ferule, or licorice, or some such contemptible little thing But the world is full of pitfalls, and it so much as sinking into treacherous

However, spelling school is out. A frowzy-haired boy, very long in the body and very short in the legs, who THE New York Legislature has be- stood away at the end of the row, has somewhere up there in the woods, no forty cases of yellow fever, and another into service, and the spellers are homeward bound.

And out into the snowy night
That jolly load will go forth,
And roar the songs of "Lily Dale,"
'Old Uncle Ned," and so forth.

These were the boys and girls of in 1797, of poor parents, he was put twenty and thirty years ago. Are to work, when a mere boy. Having there still such? We are not sure, but the mania for spelling matches which is now abroad brings up a good many recollections, and has, no doubt, caused their ears, refresh their memories, and indulge in old-time reminiscences.

NEW YORK, according to the Herald, begins to anticipate an extraordinarrly favorable season for business. sade, and had reached 50 years of age Dealers who have delayed purchases on account of the bad weather, begin to throng the streets and stores of that fear his exertions met with very pair city, and the dry goods trade, which return and he has apparently left no has been very stagnant, already responds one behind to take up his muntle. The quickly to the approach of spring. Stewart has not found his business depre-sed as much as others because of the bad weather, but all look sopefully to the future, and are preparing for a hours. As rain is still falling, appre-

very large tride A NUMBER of experiments recently rivers are rapidly rising, and should it Greeley. Dr. Lians, colebrated Scotch | mide at Mankato, Minn , are not calculated to inspire confidence in cold up of the ice will occur. The results and the brain relieved from the pres-weather as a distroyer of the insects. must be disastrous. The Kennebec has sure, he finished the speech he, was ut-Pieces of flozen earth taken from a risen four feet during the day at Hallo- tering when he fell. That, however, is frequented roadway near that city, have well At 6 p. m. it was even with the not so witty as the comparison of The Chewers, and pluggers" There were been placed near a stove, and after bepictures of shocking looking tongues the beau placed near a stove, and after belug kept there for some time, the young

Falls the bridge of the Maine Central

Munchausen's trumpet, which by a sud grusshoppers would be hatched out in Railroad was raised two feet by the ice den change of weather became clogged hundreds, and would skip over the jam, which rendered it impassable for room as soon as they had broken their trains. A large force was engaged sound for a long time. Finally, being shells. Mayor Maxfield witnessed the during the day blasting away ice and laid before a warm fire, it thawed out smoked on So far as we can judge experiments, and was greatly astonished repairing the bridge, and to-aight it is strain after strain of music, beginning from Mr. Trask's portrait, we are of at the results, and especially the num-

TELEGRAPHIC.

a O'Clock, P. M. Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.

TAKING DEPOSITIONS IN THE BEECHER CASE.

The Excursion to Mexico Abandoned.

YELLOW FEVER AT SOUTH-ERN PORTS.

High Waters at the East.

COUNTING THE MONEYS IN THE TREASURY.

Washington Gossip.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The illness River greatly swollen and water pour-of Honry M. Cleveland has made it ing over the dam at Amoskeag Falls able duty? Was Angeline Tarbox are to be written out and read in court since the great freshet of 1869, and (why not call her name right out while at the conclusion of Beecher's testimony. At 6:30 recess was taken for dinner until-8 o'clock, when the examination was resumed and continued until about 930; the examination to be resumed in the same manner each afternoon until the testimony is con-cluded. The testimony is regarded as important by both sides, on account of merged. The ice in the Mohawk pass-Mr. Cleveland's confidential relations ed down Saturday. with Beecher in reference to matters at issue on the trial. It is believed he has consequent knowledge of important facts relative thereto.

The Supervisors of Brooklyn have refused extra pay to jurors in the There was a speller for you! She Beecher case, and have voted down would grab up crysipelas as a Shanghai the resolution that the Supervisors chicken would pick up a worm, and indorse the bill pending at Albany pro-

> New York, April 3 -A Calcutta correspondent writing of the massacre in the Naga Hills, of the surveying party under Lieutenant Halcombe, says the heads of the slain were taken off by surveyors to prevent their being paraded in the villages of the Nagas, as those savages think as much of the caput as the American Indians do of the scalp. The number of killed, as fur as can be ascertained, is eighty, fifty-one were slightly wounded; fiftytwo were unburt. The supreme gov ernment intends sending two regiments forward at once, when the massacre will be avenged. The orders to these regiments are to exterminate, root and branch, all of the villages and villagers of what are known as Sanua and Ninn, villages of the Naga Hill tribes. The savages numbered nearly two hundred. and obtained access to the camp of the surveyors under pretense of bringing presents to officers and selling provisions, etc., to the remainder of the party.

scanty coat tight around him, and Atlantic station, reports that one Spanone knows exactly where, but you shall has thirty-six cases. No cases have oc steamers as yet. United States steamon a cruise in a more northern latitude, and other vessels of the North Atlantic station have been ordered to make Port

Royal their headquarters.

The Collector of Key West telegraphs that there have been only three sporadic cases of yellow fever. No other cases

and no real cause for alarm. The Post office Department, next week will advertise for preposals for carrying mails on all new routes established in the several different States many a father and mother to prick up since the general letting, and also for routes on which bidders have failed to comply with the terms of their con tracts. The total number of routes for which proposals for performing mail service are invited is 365.

Ex-Senator Stewart is reported to have sold his residence here, known as Castle Stewart-one of the most extensive and showy houses at the Capitalto Senator Jones, of Nevada, and con templates removing West again.

Senator Jones and wife sail for Eu rope next month, to remain until fall Boston, April 4 -A heavy rain-

storm, with a northeast wind, has prevailed here and generally throughout New England for the past twenty-four hensions of serious damage from a freshet seem well founded. All the continue another day a general break-

NEW ORLEANS, April 4 .- The Senatorial excursion to Mexico has been abandoned. Advices from Washing-ton state that the fear of yellow fever and the illness of Mrs. Marton are smong the causes for a change of front which is regarded as significant

Scnators Anthony, Cameron, Chandler. Dennison and Patterson, and Geneoruise along the Florida coast ; thenou to some Atlantic port.

Senator Morton was detained at the

St. Charles Hotel on account of the illness of Mrs. Morton, who is improv ing. They will probably go by reil to

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The work of taking an inventory of all kinds of securities in the office of the Treasurer, and the counting of each, preparator, to the transfer of the office to Mr. New will begin sometime the present month The work is one of great magnitude.

Friends of the last convicted mur derer in the District, just sentenced t ceeded in delaying his departure for Albany, and are now working to obtain a pardon. The circumstances connect ed with the murder committed were of a most outrageous character.

Governor Campbell, new Third Assistant Secretary of State, arrived this morning, and will take charge of his

MANCHESTER, N. H, April 4-

ALBANY, N. Y, April 4 -The ice gorge below this city gave way this af ternoon and the floods at once subsided and the streets which were submerged this morning are once more free to pe destrians, but the docks are still subed down Saturday.

A dispatch from Concord says there

is imminent danger threatening nine bridges, several of them railroad bridges betweed that city and Hookset.

NEW YORK, April 4 .-- If rumor is to be believed, Henry M. Cleveland testified, Friday, that he was manager of the Christian Union on June 2, 1873, and that Mr Beecher was in the office of that paper in New York between 11 and 12 o'clock that day.

THE NEW UNITED STATES TREAS-URER.

Indianapolia Correspondence of the Cin-cinnati Gazette j John C New, cashier of the First National Bank in this city, who has been appointed Treasurer of the United States, vice General Spinner, resigned, is expected home to-morrow.

It is not believed here that he will accept the position. Mr. W. H. Eng-lish, president of the First National Bank, stated to me this morning that the last thing Mr. New said to him as he took the train for Washington was that under no consideration would he accept the place. "He must sacrifice," said Mr. English, "from \$15,000, to \$20,000 a year by taking it."

Mr. New is forty-one years of ago, and worth from \$500,000 to \$750,000. He has been cashier of the First Na tional Bank (in which he has upwards \$120.000 worth of stock) since 1863, prior to which time he served as County Clerk for two terms. He has been married twice, his present wife being a native of Virginia. His oldest child, a lad eeventeen years of age, is at present traveling in the old world. His last letter was dated from Alexandria, in Egypt. Mr. New is a gentleman of fine natural abilities, whose close business habits have enabled him to amass a handsome fortune, and have given him a place among the foremost usiness men of this city and State. of every one.

EDMOND ABOUT says Moltke, Bis-marck and William will live a long time, as they still have other fish to fry before their end arrrives. Bonaparte couldn't stop after his rollicking cam-paign of 1796, he had to keep on with few more battles, conquer one hundred provinces, found half a dozen kingdoms, and arm all Europe against him. The Germans, too, he says have yet to finish up their jobs and run the ength of their tether before being forced to settle up But suppose their accounts, kept with great exactness at d method, be not called for in the end contrarily to the case of Napoleon? Can't one horse be of one color, and another horse of another color, O Mister About Played Out? And still he edits the "Ninetcenth Century," in

A Wisconsin paper says that Andrew Johnson is like the man who was tipped from a load of hay on a stump, hurting his head so he could not talk Years after, when his skull was repaired opinion that a pipe would have done ber of little destroyers produced by arhim a great deal of good.

| Teported saile. In Northern maine rain little destroyers produced by arcommenced falling Griday night, and and blowing the notes out in the same
has continued uninterrupted since.

New Advertisements.

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pounder. It's a boy. . . Superb pictures and frames, at I. J. Davis & Co.'s.

.Regular monthly meeting of th city council this evening. Remember the grand dress ball at Powers' Hall this evening. It is to be

the dance of the season. .. Water pipes are to be laid from the the residence of E. R. Eldridge, Esq., tion. one block south.

.. For genuine "Five Brothers" plug tobacco go to Kepler's. .. Yesterday the weather was warm and mild, and the churches were all

well attended. .. Order the St. Nicholas 'bus for the

.The festive frog has awakened from resting through the winter, and is giv ing free serenades.

.Fresh oranges and lemons, at Newell & Hammer's.

.. Greenwood Cemetery was a favorite place of resort for scores of our people yesterday.

.. The street corner guards are rallying nobly for a vigorous spring campaign. They swear they will hold down all the store-boxes in town or perish in the at-

...Choice maple sugar, at Lewis & Milligan's.

...Capt. Wadams' pair of English ferdays ago one of these little animals suc- to-morrow. ceeded in hunting up and killing a rat every two minutes.

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.. The days of house-cleaning are near at hand, and women are assuming an air of independence becoming the important event, and men are preparing themselves for a week of scanty dinners and any number of curtain lectures. .. A full line of chamber, parlor and

kitchen furniture, at Stoy & Bishop's. .. The river has receded, and is again within its banks. Large lagoons of water have been left, in which there are myriads of small fishes of all kinds .-These ponds are the favorite "fishing

holes" with all small boys.
.. A full supply of fresh butter and

eggs, at D. M. Barnett & Co.'s. .. The Decatur Steam Laundry is running in full blast, and washing about 12 are employed in the different departments, and one woman is kept busy at heart the welfare of society and the glossing shirts, so as to give them the state. appearance of being new. The laundry has a larger run of custom at present than it has ever had.

... A party who was looking at a house in the first ward the other day said that he couldn't afford to pay so much rent. "Well, look at the neighborhood," replied the woman. "You can borrow flat-irons next door, coffee and tea across the street, flour and sugar on the corner, and there's a big pile of wood right Spectacles in the city, and sells them at across the alley!"

Sunday in Town. - Yesterday the weather was figo enough to suit the most for an April day. In the morning church goers donned their "Bunday best" and appeared in their respective places of worship. The churches were well filled, and services were of an interesting character. At the First M. E. Church the

eptance of the congregation. - At the Christian Church Elder Lucas preached morning, and evening, with

his usual carnestness. In the afternoon a large number of people were out walking, but on account of the rough condition of the roads but few ventured upon the luxury of buggyriding. A large number visited the cemetery, and others went to the groves

diacent to the city. The Sunday Schools were all fully at tended, some meeting at 9 o'clock, A. M., and others at 2-r. M:

So far as we observed or learned good order prevailed, and perhaps a more quiet and pleasant Sabbath has seldom been experienced by our people.

Christian Church .- Preaching at the Christian Church this evening by Elder Lucas. Subject, "Heaven and Hell."

Decatur Gas Light and Coke Co.-The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of said company will be held at their office, southeast corner of East Main and Water streets, on Thursday next, the 8th day of April, 1875, bebetween the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M. for the purpose of electing nine directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before them. F. N. EWING, Pres't.

J. K. WARREN, Scc'y. April 8,1875-d4d

Winter Wheat .- We learn from farmers from some parts of Whitmore ble damage from winter killing. From adjourned. other parts of the county we learn that it is but little damaged, if at all; so that we presume from what we can gather from all sources, that so far as damage from freezing is concerned, there will be an average growth. Of course there re other hazards through which wheat nust pass in reaching maturity, which may prove fatal to the crop.

makes no extra charge for reserved seats of the lecture. on Thursday evening,-\$1.00 being the price of admission to the lower part of the house, and 50 cents to the gallery .-At these prices every seat in the Opera House, above and below, should be oc-

Cooper is selling a good Kid Glove for Napkins for \$1.00 per dozen; Linen Handkerchiefs for five cents; Belts, ten cents; a good Striped Shawl for \$1.25; Neckties for 25 cents; Towels, ten cts.; Corsets, 45 cts.; Ladies' Spring Skirts, 75 cents; Ladies' Cotton Hose for 8# cents, gents' for 10 cents; Fans, Parasols, Bugle Gimps, Yak Lace, Guipure Lace, and corner of Edward and Macon streets to all kinds of goods in the same propor-

> To be Settled .- The question whether and lucrative mine.

Spelling Match .- The third spelling take place to-morrow evening. Mr. I. E. Brown, of the high school, will act as pedagogue, and the book used will be Sherwood's Speller and Pronouncer, the lesson beginning where the last one closed, at the word "ferule." The rets are some on catching rats. A few names of the captains will be announced

> A New Name. - The old Pennsylvania House has been newly painted, in side and and out, and otherwise renovated and improved, and is now open to receive permanent or transient boarders. It is now the American House, and is in charge of B. R. Van Houten, who proposes to keep a first-class boarding-house in every respect.

ed with great interest the result of the great advantage over small dealers. undertaking, and are gratifled at the success attending it. It supplies a want long felt and acknowledged by all. Our best citizens have put a shoulder to the wheel. Let the people manifest their morrow evening. There is no sense in sitting at home and railing at the "traps" dozen pieces daily. Six men and women set to catch our young men, but go to work and set "traps" also, if we have at

> ONE WHO IS INTERESTED IN THE BOYS.

.. The ball to be given by Prof. Moll's class in dancing to-morrow evening is to

be a grand success. ...Judge Gallagher is putting in a new idence on North Water street.

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best a reasonable price. [sept 1-dlm | Nurseries.

FIREMEN'S MEETING.

Nominations for Chief Engineer and First and Second Assistants.

A general meeting of all the membe of the fire department was held at their headquarters, on West Main street, on Saturday night. A large crowd was present, and at a little after 8 o'clock P. pulpit was filled by Rev. Mr. Carroll, of B. Prevost was chosen chairman, and Macon, who preached much to the ac H. P. Christie secretary, and the meeting opened in due form.

. THE FIREMEN'S RELIEF ASSOCIATION

was the first subject spoken of. Many members made speeches, stating the object of the organization. Nearly all the firemen present became members of the association on that evening by the payment of one dollar. It is understood that in case of the death of any member there will be an assessment of \$1 per any member is disabled an assessment of ten cents per capita is made, and the amount given to him to be disposed of as he thinks best. It is, therefore, to the wife, city; J. S. Wayne, Quincy. advantage of every firemen to belong to this association. This society was organized shortly after the Hose Companies good in the past, as it doubtless will do in the future.

NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS

were next in order, and, on motion, an informal ballot for Chief Engineer was taken, which resulted in an overwhelming majority for H. P. Christie. This ist," which cost \$21. It is of pure gold, gentleman was then named as the choice and is about the size of a Mexican silver Engineer. P. B. Provost was chosen as gotten up by Harry Pike, and is beauti-1st assistant. Several of the prominent firemen were nominated for 2d assistant, but at length Wm. Dodson and Captain Mason were the only candidates, and, upon the latter gentleman's declining, Dodson was elected by acclamation.

After appointing a committee to take the nominations to the City Council this township, that wheat shows consideral evening for confirmation, the meeting

Schuyler Colfax.—The visit of this eminent orator and statesman to our city will be an event of unusual interest to our people. The low price of admission (50 cents) to all parts of the house, will bring the lecture within the reach of all, and we apprehend that few of our citizens will be willing to forego the pleasure of seeing and hearing an Lawrence Barrett.—Our people will orator of so wide renown as is Mr. Col. bear in mind that Lawrence Barrett fax. Tuesday, the 13th inst., is the date

Justice's Report .- During the month of March 'Squire Hughes tried and dis posed of 57 civil cases. His police docket for the past month shows 15 new cases. Ninety-one dollars in fines have been assessed, of which the Justice has been able to collect \$81.90. This shows 75 cents; two Button Kids for \$1.00; that the people have been more orderly during the past month than the month preceding, as there was almost double the number of cases tried in February than in last month.

> The Richeiicu of Lawrence Barrett grandeur intensified, powerful and effective beyond description. Secured seats without extra charge at Abbott's.

Kansas Sufferers. - A letter from Howard county, Kansas, over the signaor not coal can be found in Decatur or ture of J. F. Chapman, makes some se its vicinity is bound to be thoroughly vere strictures upon a letter published tested by Mr. Bering, who is boring in our issue of March 11th, and claims in the northeast part of the city. The that the representations given in that trial will not be abandoned until the letter of the condition of people in Kanboring has proceeded to a depth below sas, does them great injustice. Mr. which a mine could not be worked with Chapman writes under date of March profit. The fact that thin veins of coal 26th, and says that in his township there have already been reached and passed are ninety families with not more than through, would seem to indicate that ten days provisions on hand. Many famdeeper down a thick and paying vein ilies of children are entirely without may be found. We most sincerely hope shoes, and nearly naked. Many people that Mr. Bering's perseverance may be are subsisting on parched corn that they rewarded by the development of a rich have gleaned from fields and gathered up about warehouses. That the condition of the people is bad enough there match at the Presbyterian Church will can be no doubt, and that there is a great deal of suffering among them i unquestionably true.

Bishop Lawns, Victoria Lawns, striped and plain; Swiss Piques; striped and plain Jackonets, Nainsooks, Bobinet, Brussels, Illusion, Hamburg Edge, Linen Lawns, Irish Linens, &c., at prices to defy competition, at A. A. Cooper's. 5-d2w

& Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they proprietary poisons. [mar24 d&w4w retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are less in proportion to sales. Besides ing cards, which we are prepared to A Plea for the Reading Room.—Al- they are thus enabled to buy most of print for such as may desire them. tf though not a member of the Public their goods of first hands and by the Reading Room Society, we have watch- case and package, which gives them

jun 2-d&w1y A New Agency.—Mr. Edward C. Bas samples of machines and door plates given to all orders in either line of business indicated above.

Jan. 14-d&w3m Lost, while on my way home with a basket of clothes, a lady's Dress Skirt. bay window in the south side of his res- The finder will confer a favor by returning it to me, on East Eldorado street. CATHERINE O'BRIEN.

All Sorts of Fruit Trees at the DAVIS' mar:22-dtf mod:sa

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. W. T. Stamper left for the East on the Midfand road this morning.

Mr. G. P. Zoiss, and Mr. Chanri, his partner, leave to-day for New York, whither they go to purchase goods for their new store on Merchant street .-They will be gone about ten days, and will open immediately upon their re-

Among the gueste registered at the Si Nicholas hatel yesterday are the fellew

D. W. Elkridge, New York ; Joseph Fry. Mason, Ill.; R. L. Cowan, Evansville, Ind.; J. W. Madison, Rochester, N. Y.; F. H. Wilson, Cincinnati; Byron Barrett, do; J. W. Charlton, St. Louis T. D. Olin, Indianapolis; H. M. Tag gart, county; H. G. Marvin, Cinneinati Theo. Heinrick, Philadelphia; F. C. capita to defrny the funeral expenses. If Rowell, Indianapolis; A. J. Washburn city; F. W. Wismer, do; C. C. Shuntz Baltimore: J. Albert, Maron, J. M. Jo sias, New York; J. H. Woodward and Black Alpaca, Mohair, Brilliantine

Henrietta Cloth, Australian Crepe Silks were formed, and has accomplished much and all grades of Black Goods are to be found and offered very cheap, at ... COOPER'S 5-d2w

Champion Medal. -- The Decatu Shooting Club has procured a gold medal, to be worn by the champion "shoot of the department for the office of Chief dollar. The design of the medal was fully appropriate. It is held at present by Mr. E. Pitts, and will be retained by him until some other member of the club makes a better shot than he can make.

> Our Daily Food .- Adulteration prevails most extensively where it could and should be dispensed with, and where it is most oppressive and difficult for its victims to endure, that is, in our daily food. Food is a most important necessity, and it should be wholesome and nutritious, as nature formed it, without any detrimental additions. If all articles that are used in our daily food are as pure and healthful as Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and his True Flavoring Extracts we should escape many of the ills of life. The manufacturers of these preparations believe in giving the public reliable articles. 3-daw1w

Mules for Sale. - Any persons wish ing to buy nice three and four years old: mules, will consult their interest by calling at the Livery Stable of Caldwell Brothers, on West Main street, Decatur. jan.30,'75-d&wtf.

In passing along the south side of East Main street, near the Old Square, one's attention is arrested by the fine display of boots and shoes in the show window of V. Barber & Co., but, as fine as the display is, it is only an index to what may be found, upon entering the well stocked store. Here persons may supply themselves with anything they may this excellent route through St. Louis over ply themselves with anything they may wish in the line of boots, shoes and slippers, which will be shown them by the accommodating proprietors and courte-

Apron Fair.-The Women's Foreign Missionary Society will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers in the lecture-room of the First M. E. Church on Thursday, April 8th, at 71 P. M .-After brief exercises suited to the occasion, consisting of select readings, songs, etc., there will occur an Apron Fair and General Sociable, and possibly a spelling match. The public are invited. BY ORDER OF THE SOCIETY.

We have a fine top buggy which we prices now asked by our grocery men will exchange for a horse or a pair of will be found below: J. LEFORGER & BRO.

The Heart is a Wonderful Pump, the valves of which open and shut seventy or eighty times per minute. If an alcoholic stimulant be taken into the blood the pump works much faster, and this unnatural speed wears out the vital machinery. All the intoxicating nostrums advertised as "tonics," "renovators," "correctives," &c., produce this disastrous effect, and hence all intelligent Christians are thankful that DR. WALK-The Question Answered—"How Line Br's Vegerable Vincent and Alteretive without a "resh." sting-is everywhere supplanting these

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GRAND BALL.

The Last of the Season At Poppers's Hall, Monday, April 5th; 1875.

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The managers will spare no pains to nake this the grandest success of the eason. Music will be furnished by bert's full quadrille band. [29-dtd All Ready.—Immense stock of boots nd shoes, just received by Powers, Fer-

riss & Co., for spring trade-all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles-stock all in-biggest variety we ever had. A Card.-We wish to say to the publig that we keep constantly on hand full supply and great variety of TRUSSES, Bandages, Supporters, &c., &c. We

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Garden Seeds. Just received, a large tock of Landreth's warranted Garder Seeds; also, a general assortment of Flower Seeds and Gardening tools.

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of the best brands of American watches Bible Meeting. There will be a bus ness meeting of the Macon County Bible Society, held at the office of C. C. Mc-Comas, Esq., on Thursday, the 8th inst. All ministers in the city and the directors are hereby notified to be present, as business of importance will come before BOOK STORE the meeting.

J. R. GORIN, Pres't.

Cheap Boots and Shoes.-C. Hedrick, east side of Central block, will hereafter make to order, fine calf sewed boots for \$10, and pegged for \$7.50. He also makes a nice boy's shoe at a very low figure, and all descriptions of ladies' and misses' shoes. He will not be undersold on custom work, and cannot be beaten in quality of work. [29-d&w1w

THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND COLORADO. The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado with borgreater than ever in 1875. The shortest way to reach the Far. West is through Bt. Louis, the great Mississipply Velley City, of over 450, 000 inhabitants, and thence west over the

ood inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and roue that any other road, between the Mississippia and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars to the contract in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars. years, has expended over two minor do-lars, besides earnings, in extraordinary im-provement of roadway, in relaying its line with best quality of new steel and iron rails, on broad, new ties, and in, passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new reclining chair coaches, with evthis excellent route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kan-sas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West, it being the only line running through cars between St. Louis and Omaha. For map, circulars and time-tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Groat, St. Louis,

Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired. [jan 8wtf] RETAIL MARKET.

Nearly all early vegetables have been STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss received here and are for sale by our rocery dealers. About all the vegeta bles now on sale were raised in Northern Alabama, and shipped via St. Louis to this city. A corrected report of the

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ANNUAL

N citizens, legal, voters of the town or becatur, in the county of Macon and State filling that the Annual Town Meeting or said town will be held at the Court Tuesday, the 6th day of April

JOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE

next, being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purposes following, viz.: FIRST—To choose a Moderator to preside FIRST—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

SECOND—To clost one Supervisors and two Assistant Supervisors, one Town Clerk, one Assessor, one Collector, one Commissioner of Highways, our Overseers of Highways, and as many Poundmasters as the clectors may determine.

THIRD—To designate a Pound for the impounding of stock, and to act upon my additional subjects which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting, when convened.

Which meeting will be called to order be-

convened.
Which meeting will be called to order between the hours of nine and ten o'clock in the forenoon, and kept open until 6 o'clock in the afternoon.
Given under my hand, at Decatur, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1875.

GEO. GOODMAN, Town Clerk.
March 6-dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

Circuit Court of Macon county-May Term, John B. A. Read vs. Leander McQueary.

A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Leander McQueary, defendant above-nifined, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of Mucon county, notice is hereby given to the said Leander McQueary, that the complaint heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Lecatur, in said county, on the second Mouday of May next, (1875), as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Leander McQueary, shall be and appear before said Circuit Coint of Macon county, on the first in said county, on the 2nd MONDAY OF MAY, A. D. 187 and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill, the same, and the unatters and things therein charged and state will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

EPLER & CALLON, Compl's Solicitors.

Decatur, March 6, 1875-diw

NOTICE IN ATTACHMENT. STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS MACON COUNTY, In the Circuit Court, May term, A. D. 1875.

Jerome I. Case, Stephen Bull, Mussens B. Erskine and Robert H. Haker, pariners, by the firm name of J. I. Case & Co., vs. D. O. Davidson. ATTACHMENT. DUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
I to the said D. O. Davidson, that a writ of
attachment issued out of the office of the
clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon
county, dated the 27th day of January, A.
D. 1875, at the suit of the said Jerone I.
Case, Stephen Bull, Massena B. Erskine and
Robert H. Baker, by the firm name of J. I.
Case & Company, and against the estate of
said D. C. Davidson, for the sum of two hundred and forty-four and 68-100 dollars, directest of the sheriff of said Macon county to
execute.

Second Monday in the month of May,

A. D. 1875,
give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered
against you, and in favor of said Jerome I.
Case, Stephen Bull, Massena B. Erskine
and Robert H. Baker, and so much of the
estate attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold
to satisfy the same.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,
March 8-d3w

\$5000.00 - WANTED-A partner a business that will not five thousand dollars in less than six months. I will secure you to your satisfaction. The business is A No. 1. Address or call COLIN FERGUSON, Pricet's Hotel, Decamp, III...

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A suit is now pending on the chancery side of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Hillions, wherein Ellisabeth M. Alloway is complainant and Christopher C. Alloway is defendant, and that summons has been issued in said cause, reternable into said court on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1875, . Second Monday of May, A. D. 1879, at the Court House in Decatur, in the control of the State aforesaid, when and where said defendant is required to appear and demur, pleador answer to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken for confessed as true as against him.

Clerk of the Macon Co. Circuit Court.

March 3, 1875-diw

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Register M. K. Hatch

Collector H. H. Brown

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Marshal Jo. Haworth

Engineer & Sup't Water Works. B. Burgessy

Supervisor. George Deurgesy

Leputy Marshal Joe S Hewos

Fire Department Chief Engineer, Joseph

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assistant, D. P. Elwood.

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PRESHYTHERAN CHURCH—On Prairie street, Rev. Robert Mactonale, paster, Regular services at 10½ O'clock, A. M. and T. 20 p. M.; Sabbath School, 2 p. M.

RUMET METHODIST EDISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner of North Water and William Streets, Rev. W. H. Reod, paster Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 p. M.; Sabbath school at 2 p. M.

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MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night, on or preceeding full moon every month. E. D. Carter, W. M.; J. S. Carter, Secretary.

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John A. Harnes, Secretary.

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHAS.

ODD-FELLOWS.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS. CHUR OR LEON LODGE, No 17.—Knights of cythias.—C. M. Durfee, C. C.; W. R. Samuel, K. of B. S.; meets Saturday evening, at toolr hall, cor. of E. Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS. DECATUR LODGE, L.O. of G.T. No. 581.—J R. Gorin, W. C. T.; H. B. Montgomery, W. S. Moets overy Monthly evening in their new half in Court House building, South Water street.

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LADLES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION—Prair's treet, Shroeder's new building, sessnad floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from lovelock until 50 deck P. M., for xchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the ray ment of \$25, or an annual member on the payment of \$8. And any membershall been lifed to all the privileges of the Association Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Tratcht, T. Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hill, Treasurer. T, Secretary; MS, A. T. Ritt, Freishrer.

DECATUR texaptive Room Society—Hooms in Post O-flow block, with this Library Association.—Open from 10 x, m, to 10 p, m, On smiday from 9 a, m, to 7 p m. The files are well supplied with newspapers and magazines and are free to all. The regular meeting of the Board of Directors is to hood at the rooms on the first Thursday of each month, at 7½ o'clock, p, m, E, A. Gustman, President; R. P. Lytle, Secretary.

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and Henry Kain—Foreclosure.

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